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# INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Applicants bring to the attention of the Examiner in charge of the above-captioned case the following information and references that may be relevant to the examination of the above-captioned patent application.

### FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

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The above foreign patent document was cited in a PCT Search Report in PCT Application No. PCT/JP99/07281, based on which the present application was filed. Applicant is submitting an English translation of the foreign patent document.

## OTHER ART

- (1) 1998 IEICE Society Conference, "A Study on Transport Protocol for Mobile Data Communication" Kazunori Obata et al., B-5-88, September 7, 1998
- (2) Nikken Communications, "Browsers for Portable Telephones" pp. 130-137, December 7, 1998
- (3) 1998 IEICE Society Conference, "TCP Gateway Suitable for Asymmetric Wireless Link" Noriyasu Kato et al., September 7, 1998
- (4) Globecome'97, (3-8 Nov. 1997), Vol.3, pp. 1953-1957, Fieger A et al., "Evaluation of migration support for indirect transport protocols"

The above documents (1)-(4) were all cited in the same PCT International Search Report.

Documents (1)-(3) are in Japanese. Applicants are submitting an English translation for each of documents (1)-(3).

Respectfully submitted,

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